

NOTES OF INTEREST OF BUSY KINSELLA

Mrs. M. Garvie and daughter, Miss Eileen, were shopping in the city last Thursday. Eileen remained in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Ed. Leonard and daughter Mildred of Edmonton are visiting at the home of Mrs. W. W. Kerns. Mrs. Leonard was formerly Miss Gertrude McKinnon, and will be remembered by many as teacher at Phillips some years ago.

Miss Florence Syson left on Thursday of last week and will attend summer school in the city.

Mr. Taylor and Miss Syson will both return as teachers in the Kinsella school.

Mr. Jim Sheppy was a visitor from Three Hills on Friday of last week. Miss Laura Mark was a visitor in the city over the week-end.

Mrs. W. Kerns, Miss C. Kerns and Miss D. Flemming motored to the city on Thursday of last week. Miss Fleming remained in the city for the summer school, and Miss Kerns went on to Peace River for a short visit with her brother.

Mr. L. Cameron went to the city on Sunday for summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ferries, Miss K. Ferries, Miss Georgie Lee and Mr. J. L. Smith motored to Edmonton on Sunday. Georgie remained for summer school.

Mr. O. Simpson of Allingham, Mrs. J. Simpson and Miss Alice Simpson of Sedgewick and Miss Dot Lee of Galahad, were guests at the home of the Kerns on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Arkenstall Jr., Lloyd Bruce and Ada Arkenstall attended the sports at Sedgewick on July 1st. Ada remained for a visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wanganess and children are visiting at Cold Lake this week.

Mrs. M. Nease has as her guest her two little nieces from Spruce Grove. Miss Vimy Murray was shopping in Edmonton last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dupre were business visitors in the city one day last week. Miss Isobel Stonach is home for the holidays.

Marion and Edith Watson are both home from their schools for the holidays.

Mr. D. Corbett, Robert and Dan Witten, Mr. M. Nease and family and Mr. F. Murray and family spent Sunday at Lake Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Nearle and children motored to Vermilion Sunday. Ellen and John remained with their grandparents for a holiday.

Mr. F. Williams was a business visitor in the city on Wednesday.

SURPRISE PARTY

On Wednesday evening, July 1st, about seventy neighbors and friends who arranged a surprise party in honor of Mrs. C. R. Jackman, who was leaving the district, were themselves surprised when on arriving at the Jackman home they found that she had not yet arrived home from the Wainwright sports which she attended in company with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Erickson.

During the evening games were enjoyed, the principal one being a softball game between the seniors and juniors in which the seniors came off second best. Following this a delicious lunch was served, after which Mrs. Jackman was presented with a silver cake plate and card as a token of the high esteem in which the family was held by the community. Jimmy Jackson acted as toastmaster and conveyed the good wishes of the party in a few well chosen words.

Mrs. Jackman replied feelingly, thanking everyone for their kindness and good wishes.

The meeting closed by singing Auld Lang Syne and For She's a Jolly Good Fellow.

PIANO RECITAL

The following is the program of the musical recital put on in the United church on June 29th by Mrs. Caprani-Winkel and her pupils: Cora Murray, Lullaby.

Kathleen Jones, Woodland Scene. Syble Burnett, Rose's Dream. Gwen Inkens, Lullaby.

Lily Inkens, Auld Lang Syne. Ruth Reed and M. Tate (duet), Flying Dove.

Jimmy Soneff, College Pep March. Albert Soneff, March.

Solveg Steffensen, Guitar Waltz. Ellen Neal, Soldier's March.

Music Box. Jimmy and A. Soneff (duet). Intermission.

Mrs. Pryce Jones, song. Jackie Stead and Vera Martin, The Little Tin Soldier and the China Doll, from France.

Second Part of Program. Jackie Stead, Intrata. The Cat and the Fiddle.

Edna Arnold, Marching here we go. Jackie Tate, Merry Peasant. Ethel Arnold and S. Arnold, (duet) In a Polish Garden.

M. Tate, Spinning Song. Stella Arnold, Hide and Seek. Ethel and J. Tate, duet, Turkish Rondo.

Melvin Knudson, Cinderella at the Prince's Ball. Miss Syson—Waltz.

Country Gardens, by Grainger. Mary McFarland, Chopin Waltz.

Old Fashioned Numbers, (1) Basket of Old Fashioned Roses, (2) Easter Parade.

Mrs. Chas. Kabesh Killed and Son Injured in Train Crash

(From the Viking News)
Struck by a C.N.R. freight train as he was riding in a car driven by her son John, Mrs. Charles Kabesh of this district was instantly killed at 4.15 p.m. last Sunday at the railway crossing at Holden. John Kabesh escaped with fractured ribs and a lacerated hand. He was rushed to the Viking hospital where his condition is improved.

Mrs. Kabesh and her son were driving into Holden to say goodbye to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rittland and other relatives and friends who live there. Mrs. Kabesh expected to leave this week for Ashford, Washington, to reside.

The car which was a Chevrolet coupe was completely wrecked, parts of it strewn along the track for several rods. The freight train coming from the east was travelling at a fast

speed, being a through freight. The engineer gave several warning whistles, witnesses to the terrible accident stated. As the train struck, it hurled the occupants into the air and demolished the car.

An inquest was held at Holden on Monday afternoon by Coroner Dr. Haworth. Const. Miller, Const. Davies, R.C.M.P., C.N.R. officials, the train crew and other witnesses being in attendance.

The whole affair has indeed been a sorry one for the family and relatives, neighbors and friends.

Mrs. Kabesh is survived by two sons John and Louis, and one sister in this district, Mrs. Hans Hanson. Her husband predeceased her about three years ago.

Funeral services were held at Holden on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. I. Saugen of Viking officiating.

for this 1936 harvest.

Conditions in the Edmonton zone are reported to be good throughout, but the best crop prospects in Alberta are said to be in the Peace River district, "where good showers have been general and growth of all crops has continued normally."

Work is reported to be progressing rapidly now on the stretch of highway between Wetaskiwin and Edmonton, including the ten-mile stretch from Death Corner to Nisku, according to Hon. W. A. Fallow. The work on this stretch is new construction and when completed will be a big improvement to the highway. The new stretch is being built on the west side of the C.P.R. tracks in order to eliminate two dangerous railway crossings.

The whole project from Wetaskiwin to Edmonton, includes extensive grading and graveling operations, even where the present highway is retained, has been estimated to cost \$285,000 and will be completed this fall, Mr. Fallow expects.

Road construction work in the north-central portion of the province will be greatly benefited by the location by the department of public works of a new gravel pit near Beverly. Hitherto gravel has had to be hauled for as far as 150 miles and even brought in by train, but the new source, which was inspected by Mr. Fallow during the past week, will eliminate much of this hauling and reduce the cost accordingly.

GOOD MINIMUM PRICE NEEDED

The setting of a fair minimum price for wheat by the Wheat Board is a matter of primary importance to Alberta and Western Canada. The Alberta Wheat Pool invites the co-operation of all organized bodies who are interested in seeing this desired end brought about. It is also important that the Federal Government be impressed with the need for the continuation of the Wheat Board.

The experience of the 1935-36 crop year shows that the setting of a reasonable minimum price provided a measure of protection for the wheat growers that could have been obtained in no other way. The Alberta Wheat Pool contends that the losses, if any, entailed are trivial as compared with the advantages gained by providing purchasing power for the farmers of the west. A drive to bring about lower wheat prices was frustrated by the Wheat Board in co-operation with the Federal Government last year. While the situation has changed somewhat and prospects appear brighter for improved prices this year, it is suggested that the welfare of agriculture needs the steady influence of a substantial minimum price in order to offset adverse movements which may develop later on.

A lad from the city was visiting on a farm near here recently and became greatly attached to a colt, and expressed a wish to his uncle that he had one of his own. His uncle, who was of a religious turn of mind, said: "When I want anything I pray very earnestly for it and it always comes out the way I want it to do." "All right, uncle," the boy replied, "you give me this one and you can pray for another to take its place."

NEWS LETTER FROM EDMONTON

Edmonton, Alta., July 6.—There seems still to be some uncertainty concerning the actual date of issue for the government's prosperity certificates and considerable criticism is being heard on every hand because of the apparent lack of forethought on the part of the administration in making its announcements before it was ready to carry them out.

The actual issue of the certificates is delayed because of what the ministers describe as unforeseen and unexpected difficulties in connection with their lithographing, but there are no evidences of a change of mind on the part of the cabinet with regard to the plan and in the meantime the road construction work for which the certificates will be put into circulation has actually begun.

Opposition to the scheme has stiffened on the part of Alberta wholesale houses and the number of these firms which will refuse to accept the "script" from the retailers in payment of accounts will represent the majority. The government, through Hon. Lucien Maynard, however, state there will be enough wholesale houses who will accept them to make the scheme workable.

Premier Aberhart insists there will be no coercion on the part of the government. Acceptance of the certificates will be absolutely voluntary.

Liberals are planning a reorganization of their forces in the province, it is revealed this week. There is to be a gathering of party representatives at Red Deer on August 1, at which organization plans will be taken up. A full meeting of the executive of both the provincial party and the federal organization was held within the past few days and decided to call a larger gathering.

J. Boyde McBride, K.C., secretary of the provincial body, has notified all ridings of the coming meeting with the objective of considering the advisability of having one province-wide organization, to draft a constitution and fix a date for the first general provincial convention.

A new Alberta road is to be constructed by the provincial government from the Edmonton-Calgary highway westward to connect with the Jasper-Banff highway, according to Hon. W. A. Fallow, minister of public works.

Mr. Fallow pointed out in an interview that much of the new road running to the mountains from Red Deer has already been built. Construction is completed as far as Nordegg, and beyond that timber work and rock work has been finished for several miles. This section of the highway has reached the stage where machinery can be put to work at an early date.

The new route is expected to add considerably to the tourist traffic between the prairies and the mountains.

Weekly crop condition report of the department of agriculture indicates this week that the crop in the Peace River area will be one week earlier this year than last year. Rain has fallen within the week, which was needed in some sections, and this has made the outlook bright in the north

United Church Notes

Services for next Sunday, July 12: Paschendale 11 a.m., Crescent Hill 2.45 p.m., Irma 4.15 p.m.

Please take notice of the change of time for the services at Crescent Hill and Irma. At Crescent Hill the service will start a quarter of an hour earlier than usual in order to enable the pastor to get back to Irma in time for the special service at 4.15, which will be attended by members of the Orange lodge. The time of the service will doubtless be more convenient for many out of town folk, and a very cordial invitation is extended to them to be present. A full attendance and a hearty service will give expression to the spirit of good will existing between Loyal Orangemen and the Church.

The Irma boys' groups will be fairly well represented at the camp opening at Camp Lake on Thursday of this week. Eight are already booked to go, with a possibility of one or two more. It is expected that there will be well over fifty boys present from all points in the Wainwright Presbytery. As a vacation for the average healthy boy camp experience is beyond comparison, not only for the fun of it but also for the training of character and practical experience in mutual fellowship and service. These are just a couple from many comments about the value of a summer camp: "Camp did more to develop the sense of responsibility for leadership among our older boys than any other single activity"; "We had a great time living, laughing and working with each other."

The foregoing remarks apply with equal truth to the girls' camps, and girls are reminded that their camp commences on July 16th, when the boys' camp ends. According to reports, both the Albert and the Irma groups will have a good attendance at camp; and any girls over 12 years of age who would like to go should see the leaders at once.

Words Worth Remembering

Everyone should take cognizance of the words of Mr. Wm. McKinley, the late president of the U.S.A., quoted by Dr. Julius Klein in a recent radio broadcast. Mr. McKinley said: "It is not prize the word 'cheap'. It is not a word of hope; it is not a word of inspiration; it is not a word of comfort. It is the badge of poverty; it is a sign of distress. Cheap merchandise means cheap men, and cheap men mean a cheap country." These remarks were made thirty-seven years ago and their significance applies today.

Lewisville Lineup

(Too late for last week)

The Cactus Flats stampede has been postponed to July 22nd, and White's orchestra is playing for the dance.

Frank Voras and James Saville motored to Vermilion Tuesday, June 23rd, and were successful in winning some event both days.

James Saville, Harry Saville and Max Saville left for Calgary on Friday, June 26th, and they may stay for the stampede.

The heavy rain we had Sunday helped the crops.

There was a nice crowd at the school on Tuesday, June 30 for the picnic.

Hardisty Old Timers' picnic is to be held on July 15th.

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Tourist Trade Revenue

It would appear that provincial governments of the prairie provinces which neglect to spend sufficient money to maintain their highways in good condition are overlooking a good bet, if figures of tourist traffic from the other side of the international boundary into Canada are an index of what might be expected if highways were made attractive enough to draw the quota of this windfall which the western provinces might reasonably expect.

Recently published figures show that tourists entering Canada in 1935, most of them from the United States, were responsible for a total expenditure of \$202,314,000 in this country during their stay here, if an estimate published by the Dominion Department of Trade and Commerce can be accepted as reasonably accurate.

This is an enormous revenue from such a source when it is remembered that the principal export industry of this agricultural country totalled in value \$156,153,857 in the same year, this being the value placed on Canadian exports of wheat and wheat flour for 1935 by the External Trade branch of the Dominion bureau of statistics.

Thus the tourist trade to Canada in 1935 was worth approximately \$46,000,000 more to the country than the principal exported agricultural commodity and, when it is pointed out that a substantial proportion of tourist expenditure means clear profit, the value of the traffic in comparison is greater than even appears on the surface.

But when one examines the comparative figures of income from tourist traffic by provinces it is immediately apparent that the share derived by the prairie provinces of this newly developed source of wealth is but a drop in the bucket compared with the income enjoyed by some of the eastern provinces and British Columbia from the same source.

For example, figures compiled by the Saskatchewan Motor Club show that on an average expenditure basis, varied according to length of time of their visit, American tourists entering the province direct through ports of entry on the contiguous section of the international boundary line spent approximately \$22,024 in Saskatchewan in 1935, to which is added another \$652,670 as the estimated expenditure of those who entered the country through Manitoba and Alberta ports and spent a portion of their time in Saskatchewan, making a total of \$1,474,714 as Saskatchewan's share of this new industry—if it may be called such—last year.

In other words all that Saskatchewan derived from this source of new wealth was less than one per cent. of the Dominion's total income from tourist traffic. Without going into further detailed figures it may be said that the tourist revenues accruing to Alberta and Manitoba for the same period were relatively commensurate.

There are certain factors responsible for British Columbia and some of the eastern provinces, and particularly Ontario and Quebec, securing the great bulk of this traffic. One of these is the fact that these provinces are relatively closer to the large American centres of population. This is the principal reason. Another is the greater proportion of paved roads on the Canadian side in these provinces directly linked with similar highways in the United States.

But even after allowing for the greater advantages enjoyed by those provinces mentioned, the fact still remains that the prairie provinces are not getting anything like their proper share of tourist traffic and that for them there are great potentialities yet undeveloped.

The relative scarcity of American tourists in the prairie provinces is partly a heritage of the comparatively recent days when visitors found it a frequent experience to have their cars bogged down in mud. Highways have been materially improved since that time but the stigma earned by prairie roads in those days has by no means been lived down yet. This coupled with the difficulty of financing maintenance of a great mileage of gravelled highways during the still more recent depression years has had the effect of keeping away from the prairie provinces a good many who would have come, but for the skepticism grounded on former experiences.

This is a handicap which has to be overcome before the three western provinces can expect to share in full measure the dividends of tourist traffic to which their natural advantages and beauties entitle them. This can only be done by taking the necessary steps to see that the network of highways already built is maintained in good condition and that as far as possible the dust nuisance of the gravelled highways is eliminated or at least mitigated to a minimum coupled with judicious advertising.

Has Modernized Turkey

People Owe Great Debt To President Of Republic

Mustapha Kemal Fasha, President of the Turkish Republic since 1923, has had eight attempts on his life in 15 years. He pays a servant \$3,000 a year for working 30 minutes a day to taste his food before he eats it—in case of its being poisoned. Mustapha Kemal—known as "Grey Wolf"—has made Turkey a modern State. The Turkish army discarded the fez at his command, and he has altered women's veils. The Turkish calendar, and has thrown over derishes. He has separated Church and State, established art schools where students work from living models. In Ankara, the capital, there are seven monuments of him. Mustapha Kemal is fond of dancing and gay company. He encourages the young folk in enjoying themselves. He is 56 years of age, the son of a minor official, and was educated at the Military College, Turkey.

Belong To Fine Arts

Softball and bridge have been elevated to the "fine arts" by Vancouver's public library. The library's latest report lists a book of official rules of softball and a book on bridge under the fine arts section, along with such intricate hobbies as hand-loom weaving and metalcraft.

Musical instruments used by the Chinese are drums, cymbals, horns, lutes, castanets and flutes. There are three varieties of bells—po-chung, te-chung and pien-chung.

A New Fire Extinguisher

Bomb That Puts Out Blaze Demonstrated In France

There has recently been demonstrated in France by its three inventors, Signor Redaelli and Signor Finzi of Italy and Herr Puschner of Austria, a bomb that kills fire. The demonstration was arranged in collaboration with the Strasbourg Fire Brigade, which built some stage scenery houses and set them alight. They also lighted petrol and rubber. The new bombs killed all these fires, and aroused great enthusiasm.

The principle of the new bomb is like blowing out a candle on a vast scale; the force of the explosion put out the fire. The chemical substance they contain is quite harmless. It possesses the property of cooling the material it touches, and so prevents the debris from smouldering afterwards. The effect of these bombs on blazing petrol in the open air was amazing.

New Grain-Testing Station

An experimental sub-station is to be established north of Davidson in Central Saskatchewan. There are already 25 of these stations in the province for the testing of grain and grasses under different methods of cultivation.

The tons of beeswax used in automobile manufacturing require the labors of 93,000,000 bees.

People of Germany are drinking more sparkling wine than before the World War.

Toc H Movement

Celebrated Its Coming Of Age At Ceremonies In London

Toc H, a movement which began in a dugout in Poperinghe, on the Ypres road, in 1915, celebrated on Sunday, June 28, its coming-of-age in the Crystal Palace, London.

In an address at the ceremony of "lighting of lamps," the Duke of Kent traced the development of the movement through the empire from its humble beginning to the present stage, remarking that Canada now has 38 Toc H units and two houses, South Africa 87 units and one house, and Australia 140 units and one house.

He read a message from the king conveying his sincere greetings and congratulations and recalling that from the earliest years of the movement he had presided practically every year at the lighting of the lamps of maintenance.

(The objects of the Toc H movement are to "perpetuate the lessons of cheerful self-sacrifice and mutual help, without barriers of class or creed, taught by the young men who laid down their lives during the Great War." The symbolism of the lamp represents the keeping alive of "the ideals which they embodied"). Referring to the recent visit of "Tubby" Clayton—Rev. F. B. Clayton, founder of the movement—to the eastern Mediterranean, the duke said it had stimulated Toc H in that part of the world, where many of its members are drawn from the army, navy and air force.

British Broadcasting

Government Extends Charter Of The B.B.C. For Ten Years

Following the recommendations of a special committee on broadcasting, it was announced in London that the government would extend the charter of the British Broadcasting Corporation for 10 years from Dec. 31 next, increase the number of governors from seven to 10 and increase the corporation's share of revenue from public receiving licences.

Cost of such licences will remain at 10 shillings.

The government held the view the corporation should continue to refrain from commenting upon current affairs, both in broadcasts and in the corporation's own publications. It approved the suggestion of the committee—which submitted its report last March—that empire broadcasting service should be developed. It also held that the licensing of relay stations should be continued for another three years, the postmaster-general being empowered to take over the relays afterward.

The government also approved the continued exclusion of advertisements and believed the responsible departments should take all possible steps to prevent the broadcasting of foreign advertisement programs.

However, the government rejected the proposal of the broadcasting committee, which was headed by Lord Illiswater, that the cultural side of broadcasting should be transferred to a cabinet minister.

Belgian Defense Project

Plan Erection Of Network Of Machine Gun Nests Along Border

A plan for a series of machine gun nests along the Belgian frontier and extension of the term of Belgium's obligatory military service from eight to 18 months were contained in proposals submitted to the military committee of the Belgian chamber by General Maglaine, former chief of the general staff and author of the Maglaine plan of national defence.

The defence project, which has been approved by the superior defence council, calls for erection of a network of small machine gun nests. They would be manned by trained mobile troops and would be reinforced by a "destruction system" under the Maglaine plan. The system of destruction would consist of mining bridges, roads and railways throughout the border regions to delay the advance of any invading troops.

In advocating the increase in the term of obligatory service, Gen. Maglaine said the measure would provide the nation with a sufficient number of trained troops to carry out his defence plan.

The pirarucu, a fresh water fish, is found only in the Amazon river and its tributaries. Resembling a whale, it often weighs as much as 200 pounds.

The famous mineral springs of Bath, England, produce 500,000 gallons of medicated water daily.

Violent Deaths

Automobile Accidents, Suicides And Other Mishaps Take Heavy Toll

Automobile and other accidents, suicides and homicides brought death to 6,885 people in Canada last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported. Almost all forms of violent death, except suicide showed increases over 1934 and crept up toward record high levels registered around 1930 and 1931.

Automobile mishaps took 1,224 lives or 11.2 per 100,000 of population compared with 1,115 in 1934. This was the largest toll since 1931 when 1,316 fatalities occurred.

In all, 6,885 persons or 62.9 per 100,000 met death from external violence in 1935. This, too, was the highest total since 1931 and compared with 6,469 in 1934.

Suicides accounted for 902 deaths, compared to 927 in 1934 and homicides for 153 compared with 142 in 1934.

All provinces with the exception of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, and Alberta showed a larger number of motor vehicle fatalities in 1935 than in the preceding year. Prince Edward Island, however, had two deaths as compared with five, New Brunswick 40 against 52, and Alberta 45 against 61.

Prince Edward Island had the lowest rate, 2.2 per 100,000 and Saskatchewan stood next with a rate of 4.1.

SELECTED RECIPES

MARSHMALLOW CHOCOLATE LOAF CAKE

3 squares unswweetened chocolate
¾ cup cold milk
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
¾ cup butter
1½ cups sugar
8 eggs (yolks only)
1 teaspoon vanilla

In a double boiler put chocolate and milk, when melted stir until quite smooth—cool. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, sift together three times. Cream butter, gradually add sugar and beat until light and fluffy. Add yolks which have been beaten until thick and lemon colored, and vanilla, then add flour mixture alternately with the cooled chocolate, a little at a time, beating well after each addition until smooth. Bake in a well greased pan in slow oven (235 degrees F.) for 25 minutes. Increase heat slightly (to 350 degrees F.) and finish baking 45 minutes. Turn out carefully and while still warm cover bottom with marshmallows that have been rinsed off with cold water and cut in halves cross-wise. When cake is cool cover with chocolate frosting.

Invisible Light

Will Be Given By Lamps In Near Future Is Prediction

"In the near future lamps will give "invisible" light. This forecast has been made by J. N. Waite, general manager of the Hull (England) Corporation Electrical Department. "Lamps will be able to give out not only visible light, but what we call "invisible light," he said. "Scientists are still striving for increased beauty as well as increased efficiency."

India Has Odd Bridge

A bridge across the Jhelum River in Kashmir is made of wickerwork. It consists of three ropes made of hazel twigs, one to walk on and the others to hold, the ropes being kept in position by V-shaped branches every six feet. Although appearing frail and swinging about in a gale, the bridge is really very strong.

A dwarf in Zululand is 14 years old, but is only 20 inches tall and has not grown for years.



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Lives In Lonely District

Woman Has Gold-Trading Post In British Guiana

A young woman arrived in Boston aboard the Canadian National Steamship liner Lady Nelson and told of conducting alone for four years a gold-trading post in the wilds of British Guiana.

Mrs. Violet McTurk, who has lived in British Guiana since she married "Mick" McTurk, gold and diamond trader, told reporters how she continued her husband's business after he lost his life in an accident four years ago.

"The natives agreed to trade with me, after they pinched me and decided I was all right. They had never seen a white woman until 'Mick' took me back to the post, 200 miles inland from Demerara."

"When Mick died I just went right on with the business. Tourists reach the post quite often, to see Kaie Tecur Falls, which is, they tell me, five times larger than your Niagara Falls."

Mrs. McTurk said she had operated a river boat, acted as a guide for tourists, and the rest of the time conducted her store at the post, where, she said, she sold everything from rum to ammunition. On this, her first visit to this country, she said she would visit Boston and New York. She was born in Barbados.

The Shetland Islands

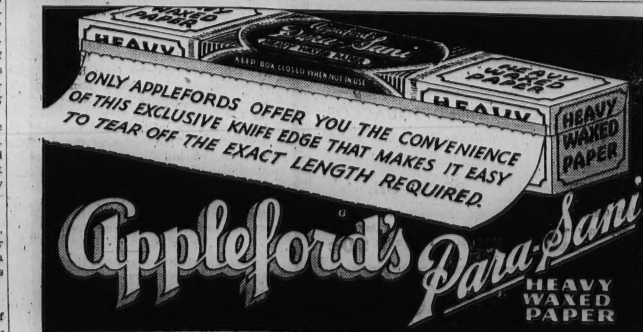
Only 27 Out Of 100 In Group Are Inhabited

The Shetland group consists of 100 islands, 27 of which are inhabited. The largest are: Mainland, Yell, Unst, Fetlar, Bressay and Whalsay. The islands seldom rise to more than 500 feet above sea level. Much of the soil is peaty, and barely one-sixth is under cultivation. Cattle and sheep are grazed and the small, sturdy Shetland ponies and Shetland wool are well known. Fishing is one of the chief occupations and the whale industry is of importance. Originally settled by Norsemen, the island remained under Norse rule until the marriage of James III. of Scotland to Margaret, princess of Norway.

Utah's Great Salt Lake

Because there's so much salt in Utah's Great Salt Lake, you can't sink or even submerge yourself in it. But it's still possible for an inexperienced swimmer to drown in the lake by going beyond his depth, losing his balance and being suffocated by the brine. But even then his body would float on the surface.

Statistics reveal that for every three men aged between 75 and 80, there are four women. For every four men more than 85, there are seven women.



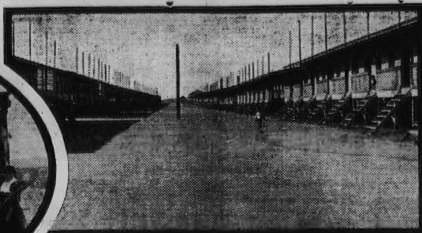
Warehouses at Calgary, Edmonton, Regina and Winnipeg



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SPORTS

Most people look upon softball as being a youngsters' affair, or something suited to the ladies. Yet strange to say there have been more broken bones caused by that game this year than in any other sport. Every player of this interesting game knows how easy it is to bump the end of the finger against that big soft ball and carry a painful reminder for weeks afterwards. Several broken legs have been reported when sliding to base.

The result of the Wimbledon Tournament saw the English stars take almost a clean sweep. Everything but the women's singles went to the home entries. Helen Jacobs finally, after previous failures, managed to make the grade and win the coveted prize, world supremacy. The victory of Fred Perry over the great German player Von Cramm, was hastened by injury suffered by the latter in the very first game, straining a muscle. Consequently the contest was more one-sided than it otherwise would have been.

The great American horse Omaha has found that the English horses travel just a little faster than he does. He has made an excellent showing in four starts on English tracks, but has failed to capture any of the major prizes.

Jack Longdon, a jockey from western Canada is now riding in races in New York city. The other day he brought in four winners in the one day, which proves that he knows how to get the best results from his horse.

When Babe Ruth stepped down from his throne as king of sluggers, it was suggested that Gehrig would be his successor. Today that player heads the list with the highest percentage of hits, batting .399. To be the best in both the big leagues is a real honor. Gehrig must be a great player.

Joe Louis now explains his defeat by Schmeling as due to the fact "I just got careless." The Brown Bomber had run up the ladder of success so fast that he stumbled. Confidence appears absolutely necessary to win in any game, and it appeared the "dark menace" had read so much of the newspaper stuff, claiming "Schmeling is doomed" that Louis lost caution, believing he could not lose. Pats on the back are sometimes the cause of defeat. A pat on the back by friends and one pat on the chin by the enemy, and out goes the light. Not so good.

Anglican Church Notes

A church service will be held in St. Mary's church hall at 11 a.m. on Sunday, July 19th.

The next W.A. meeting will be held at Mrs. F. Thurston's on Tuesday, July 14th.

Don't forget the W.A. card party to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Inkpin on July 22nd at 8 p.m.

Crop Report.

Alberta Crop Report No. 5. Issued by Alberta Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, July 3, 1936.

During the past two weeks, all dry land crops in the southern and east central areas have suffered a serious set-back at a critical period because of prevailing hot weather and high winds, no rains having occurred to relieve these distressed conditions. This is especially true of the territory from Medicine Hat north-west to Brooks and continuing north to the Youngstown district, where hopes for even a fair crop are practically abandoned. In the more seriously affected districts, a shortage of feed is already anticipated. The whole of the south and east is badly in need of moisture. This applies particularly to stubbled-in crops, pasture and range lands.

In the west-central area and the Edmonton zone, some severe thunderstorms and scattered showers have occurred, but these have only been very local. Though there is still a good reserve of subsoil moisture over a great deal of the country, many districts would welcome good rains for surface needs. If weather continues dry, maturity of grain crops will be unduly hastened with some consequent reduction in yields.

The most favorable conditions obtain in the Peace River district where good showers have been more general and development of all crops has continued normally. Prospects in this area point toward an earlier harvest by at least one week than in 1935.

Summer fallowing in the south is almost completed, though delayed to some extent by high winds and dry soil conditions. Rapid progress is being made in the centre and north where about 50 per cent of fallowing has been done.

Haying is general in the south with yields reported poor to fair. Some cutting has commenced in central districts where the crop is likely to be somewhat below normal. With favorable conditions during the next ten days, the hay crop in the north will be quite up to average.

The warm dry conditions have hastened the grasshopper hatch, and mixing stations are working at capacity. Crop damage up to ten per cent has been suffered at some points, but the situation over the entire pest-ridden area is under reasonable control and no serious trouble is anticipated. Further supplies for mixing stations have been arranged for by the Department to safeguard the situation. Gophers are exceedingly numerous at certain points in the south, and their control is becoming a problem in a few districts where they are causing some crop injury. Hall has occurred in the Lacombe and Sedgewick districts with only slight damage.

The live stock market has changed little during the last two weeks. Cattle prices continue low but movement is steady. The hog market is brisk with an encouraging trend in prices. Though hog marketings in the south are higher than usual, smaller marketings from the north make it increasingly apparent that sow holdings

Main Street Professional Cards

Mr. Newton Harvey of Edmonton was an Irma visitor on July 8th. Mr. L. A. Schon and children visited in Irma on Tuesday, July 7th. Mr. and Mrs. Ross McFarland and family are spending this week in Calgary.

Mr. George Manners has moved into the office in Richard Larson's building.

Mr. and Mrs. Frickleton are spending a few days in Edmonton this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bishop and daughter are away enjoying a short holiday at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Knudson are enjoying a week's holiday at the Calgary stampede.

Master Bobby Wilbraham was taken to the Wainwright Hospital last Tuesday evening for treatment.

Mrs. Jackman and family accompanied by Mr. Lloyd Erickson started by car for B. C. on Saturday, July 4th.

The Red Stars baseball team of Irma won first money at the Wainwright sports on July 1st, and second place at Mannville.

Please hand in a report of your trip or of friends and relatives visiting you to the local editor. News items will be greatly appreciated. Thanks. Mr. and Mrs. George Phenibock and daughter Pearl motored to Calgary last week-end to take in part of the stampede and spend a few days at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cole are planning to leave the latter part of this week on a two week's holiday trip. The Searle elevator will be closed during Mr. Cole's absence.

Mr. E. W. Peterson accompanied by Mr. Ed. Sharkey, Edward Jr. and Rosie, motored to Pigeon Lake last Sunday to visit friends. Jimmy Sharkey returned home with his folks. St. Margaret's W. A. of Battle Heights, are sponsoring a Picnic on July 15th, at King's Park, Fabyan, starting at 3 p.m. Supper served on grounds.

A high wind storm visited the Irma district last Tuesday afternoon but so far as can be learned no damage was done except the moving of a few hay stacks and several tons of soil.

Mrs. E. P. Beacock, we understand, has sold her property and restaurant business to Mr. Percy Webber. Mr. Webber will take charge about July 15th and Mrs. Beacock and family are going to move to Vermilion.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sonoff and family accompanied by Mary Wozny of Viking motored to Vilna, Alta., on July 1st, returning on July 2nd and bringing Mrs. Philip Wozny, Mrs. Sonoff's mother, for a visit with her daughters and son Tony.

After playing four games in succession at the sports in Wainwright July 1st, Irma girls won the first three and lost the last, giving them second money for their hard day's work. At Czar sports on July 3rd, they also succeeded in getting second place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mapley and daughter Cleo of Pontiac, Michigan, spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Elliott (Mrs. Mapley's father) and other relatives, also visited at her sister's, Mrs. A. R. Penneck in Edmonton, Washington. Mrs. Mapley is Mr. Elliott's youngest daughter.

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